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Hospital Dance Set For Jan. 22

The annual dance in aid of the Didsbury Hospital will this year be an old time dance and will be held Tuesday, January 22 in the Opera House. Si Hopkin's Oldtime Orchestra, which is heard regularly over CFON radio station, Calgary, should prove a big attraction.

Change in Show Dates.

The showing of the pictures at the Didsbury Opera House made some change in dates last week.

The pictures will now be shown Wednesday and Thursday evenings and a matinee Saturday afternoons. There will be no show Saturday evenings.

Don't Forget the Oldtime Dance, January 22 in aid of the Hospital. At the Didsbury Opera House.

Didsbury Local U.F.A. No. 12

Annual Meeting

Will be held at

DIDSBURY OPERA HOUSE

Friday, January 11th

at 1 p.m.

BUSINESS

Election of Officers

Election of Delegates to the Provincial Annual Convention

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Curling Notes

Quite a number of local curlers have signified their intention of taking part in the open bonspiel which starts next Tuesday. All those who intend to curl but have not already signed are asked to see Jack McCloy before this weekend.

There will be a good number of local rinks entered in the open bonspiel, and about six rinks are expected from Carstairs, besides a number of rinks from Olds, Bowden and Crossfield.

Two rinks, led by J. V. Berscht and A. Brusso, went to Olds on Wednesday last week and played four games with rinks of that town. Olds proved too good for them and won each game.

The local rinks which met teams from Bowden on Didsbury ice made a better showing and won 3 out of 4 games. The Didsbury skips were: Dr. Clarke, Bert Fisher, Dave Edwards and Tommy Johnson.

Two or three Didsbury curlers are grooming themselves to go to the Calgary bonspiel which opens January 21. We also hear that at least one rink will attend the Edmonton 'spiel.

The first half of the curling schedule will be completed this week and some of the oldtime skips will have to pull up considerably in the second half if they are going to maintain their reputations. We understand that the six skips who hold the lowest places in the "win" column will be demoted to play third in the next schedule.

Following are the positions of the rinks up to last night:

| | Won | Lost |
|-----------------|-----|------|
| Berscht | 2 | 3 |
| Brusso | 1 | 4 |
| Clarke | 1 | 3 |
| Edwards | 3 | 2 |
| Fisher | 2 | 2 |
| Johnson | 3 | 2 |
| Julien | 2 | 3 |
| Liesemer, W. G. | 1 | 4 |
| McCloy | 5 | 0 |
| McGhee | 1 | 3 |
| McNaughton | 3 | 3 |
| Pitt | 3 | 2 |
| Sinclair | 5 | 1 |
| Studer | 3 | 3 |

Evangelical Church Notes

Rev F S Spies will occupy the pulpit next Sunday morning. In the evening Rev. H D Marr of Calgary, former secretary of the Bible Society, will be the guest-preacher and bring the message.

WEEKLY JOKE

Sitting around the country store they swapped their best yarns. One of them began a wild one. "When I was up in Montana," he said, "I saw a mountain lion coming right up to the camp one day. It was a fine beast, but I, with great presence of mind, threw a bucket of water in its face and it slunk away."

"Boys," said an old man, sitting on a cracker box in the corner, "I can vouch for the truth of that story, for a few minutes after that happened I was coming down the side of the hill and met that lion, and, as was my habit, stopped to stroke its whiskers, and boys, those whiskers were wet."

Legislature Opens on February 7th

The 1935 session, fifth and final session of the seventh legislature of Alberta, will open Thursday, Feb. 7, according to an announcement made by Premier R. G. Reid last Thursday.

This will be the final session before a general election, which is expected to take place on, or close to, June 15.

Indications are that the session will be a lengthy one, and presentations of various commission reports and budget legislation will be important features of the sitting.

Premier Reid will appear in the legislative assembly for the first time, as leader of the government forces, with former premier Brownlee and O. L. McPherson as "backbenchers." Hon. Hugh Allen, minister of lands and mines; Hon. J. Russell Love, provincial treasurer, and Hon. J. J. MacLennan, minister of public works, will make their first legislature appearances as cabinet members.

United Farmers' Convention.

The United Farmers of Alberta will gather in convention at Calgary one week earlier than expected. The advanced dates are January 15 to 18.

The change was made owing to the unusually early date of the opening date of parliament at Ottawa, which is set for January 17, thus giving opportunity for the federal U.F.A. members in Alberta to attend the opening sessions of the Calgary convention.

"Y" Notes.

The Y Girls will meet at the home of Mrs. H. M. Reiber on Tuesday, January 15. All members and friends are invited.

U.F.A. Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Didsbury U.F.A. Local will be held at the Opera House this Friday.

The business will be the election of officers and delegates for the annual convention to be held in Calgary next week.

Debt Adjustment and Social Credit will also be discussed.

DIDSBURY MARKETS.

WHEAT

| | |
|----------------|----|
| No. 1 Northern | 61 |
| No. 2 | 55 |
| No. 3 | 60 |
| No. 4 | 47 |
| No. 5 | 45 |
| No. 6 | 44 |

OATS

| | |
|------------------|----|
| No. 2 C.W. | 31 |
| No. 3 | 25 |
| Extra No. 1 Feed | 26 |
| No. 1 Feed | 24 |

BARLEY

| | |
|-------|----|
| No. 3 | 39 |
| RYE | |
| No. 2 | 37 |

BUTTERFAT

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----|
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| | |
|---------|-----|
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| Grade B | 15c |
| Grade C | 9c |

HOGS

| | |
|-------------|------|
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| Bacon | 6.90 |
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Civic Election Drawing Near

The annual meetings of the Town and School District will be held on Friday, January 25 and the nomination meeting on Monday, February 4 with the election, if necessary, the following Monday.

This year there will be election for Mayor, three councillors and three school trustees.

Councillors Reiber, Fleury and Budgeon are the retiring councillors and Dr. Evans and Messrs J. V. Berscht and J. W. Halton the retiring school trustees.

Didsbury U.F.A. Local Wins Prize.

The Didsbury Local No. 12 was successful in winning the 1st prize, given by the provincial U.F.A. board for the largest increase in membership of any local in the province.

They also hold second place in the contest for the largest membership. Balzac local won first place with 160 members, and Didsbury second with 157 members.

The prize awarded was the payment of delegate's expenses to the provincial convention.

Eastern Star Will Hold Open Installation.

The local Chapter of the Eastern Star will hold an open installation of officers on Tuesday, January 15.

Mrs. E. A. Shaw of Jasper, a member of the Board of General Purposes of the Grand Chapter, will be the installing officer.

Members and guests will be entertained at the ceremony, and supper will be served.

BIRTHS

at Didsbury General Hospital

December 30, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Rennie, a daughter.

January 5, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Archer, a daughter.

Town Council.

The town council met at the Public School on Monday evening, with Mayor Chambers in the chair, and Councillors Spence, Pitt, Gooder, Reiber, Fleury and Budgeon present.

The fire committee reported having made arrangements for the storage of the fire equipment. The chemical engines were stored at the Adshad and XL garages and the water tank at the Steven's Service Shop.

Mr. Frank Kaufman having resigned as Fire Chief, a by-law was passed appointing Mr. E. Ford as Fire Chief and Mr. Wendell Gochee his assistant.

A by-law was passed appointing Mr. W. A. Austin returning officer for the annual election of mayor, councillors and school trustees, which will be held in February.

A communication was read from the Sylvan Lake Village Council, who are asking that a relief work camp be established at that place for the purpose of making permanent improvement on the beach. A resolution favoring the establishment of the relief camp was passed and will be forwarded to the Departments of Labor and Public Works at Ottawa.

The secretary read the monthly statement, which showed that despite the fact that taxes had been considerably reduced, the balance on hand at the close of the year was only slightly under the balance on hand at the close of last year.

Rural School Meetings.

This Saturday seems to be the favorite day for the annual rural school meetings in this district. The following school districts are holding their meetings that day: Rosebud, Gore, Grand Centre, Mona, Neapolis, Waterloo, Clovermount, Zella and Rugby.

Melvin S. D. will hold their annual meeting Saturday, February 2.

The annual meeting of Jutland S. D. was held last Saturday. Mr. John Topley was elected as trustee in place of Mr. George Burns, who retired after serving for a number of years on the board.

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Confidence Is Returning

The year of 1934 is rapidly drawing to a close and people are already turning their thoughts to the coming new year and giving consideration to matters which will command their attention and activities in the next twelve-month period. Already throughout the western provinces municipal councils and school boards have been chosen to which will be entrusted the administration of local community business throughout the new year. And the thoughts of all people are increasingly occupied with what betterment of existing conditions may be looked for in the months that lie ahead.

Unquestionably, people are entertaining a greater degree of confidence that the general economic situation is improving than has been in evidence for some time,—the most discouraging feature being the continued political unrest in Europe and the effect which any outbreak there would inevitably have upon the whole world. However, confidence grows that here on this western continent the worst of the great depression is over and we are at last and definitely on the upgrade.

Restoration of confidence is one of the essential requirements to carry the world along the road to betterment, because until that confidence is restored everyone is afraid to venture in any direction, all continuing to live from hand to mouth, thinking only of the necessities of the immediate present instead of in terms of a larger and better future. While an undue and unjustified optimism at this time would be just as fatal in the long run as a continuance of an unjustified pessimism, it is perhaps well that attention should be directed to facts, figures and conditions which provide a sound basis for hopefulness and a greater confidence.

In recent years of financial difficulty and economic depression, many people have come to look with suspicion upon bankers and banking, but the fact remains that our Canadian banking institutions are about the best informed of all organizations as to the exact state of affairs in the Dominion. They have to be. Furthermore, they are always conservative in their sizing up of the general financial, economic and business situation. Banks, as a rule, are not overly enthusiastic or optimistic.

Because the above is true, there is real encouragement to be found in the monthly business summaries and news letters recently issued by the banks of Canada. One of the latest to come to hand is that of the Bank of Montreal, Canada's most conservative banking institution, dated November 23. For the benefit of readers who may not have the opportunity of reading these monthly business summaries, a few facts from this most recent publication may well be quoted.

Reviewing the Canadian situation, the Bank of Montreal says: "Trade has continued its upward trend during the past month, and the winter season opens with conditions generally distinctly better than they were a year ago. A review of the first ten months of the present year shows that of some fifty business indices available forty-five show gains, the majority of a pronounced character. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index of the physical volume of business, which well sums up the whole, has advanced 21.4 per cent."

It is pointed out, too, that industrial activity is more apparent in a wide variety of trades than at this period in 1933, and that a wider distribution of goods is being made. Both import and export trade is increasing, bank clearings, railway car loadings, mineral production, forests and fisheries all reveal substantial betterments, while even in agriculture, and taking the Dominion as a whole, crops have been more abundant than at one time seemed probable and prices are higher.

Railway car loadings are greater than for several years and at the end of August were 24% higher than in the preceding year; employment in October, which usually shows a downward tendency, actually increased, the official index reaching 100 (which was the index in 1926) compared with 90.4 and 86.7 in October 1933 and 1932 respectively. Commercial failures were fewer in 1934 than in any of the preceding three years.

Dominion Government revenues reflect this general improvement, with Customs duties collected in the first ten months of this year 25% greater than in the same ten months of 1933.

Referring to the situation in the United States, the bank summary says: "The past month recorded a partial return to the business activity that had characterized the earlier months of the year."

Steady improvement in Great Britain is recorded. For the ten-month period total trade increased by £82,000,000 over the corresponding period last year; railway traffic increased 4.1% since January 1; the number of persons in employment shows further improvement; British Government securities have reached the highest prices on record for nearly thirty years.

Thus the situation in Canada, United States and Great Britain, in which countries Canada is most vitally interested, is found to be of an encouraging character, making for a greater degree of confidence in the future, which, let it be repeated, is an essential condition to continued and greater improvement.

Scout Had Wonderful Trip

Spent Summer in Northern Seas on Steamship Nascopie

Thirteen thousand miles had been covered by Cockburn McCallum, Winnipeg King's scout, when he arrived in Winnipeg after having travelled with the steamship Nascopie on its annual trip through northern waters to the Arctic posts of the Hudson's Bay Company and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

It was an adventurous and wonderful journey which has come the way of few youths, and the Winnipeg scout, who received it from the Hudson's Bay Company as the award given annually to Canada's outstanding scout, realized that when he arrived at the C.N.R. station and was greeted by his mother, Mrs. A. H. McCallum, his friends and officials of the Manitoba council of the boy scout association.

He left Winnipeg on June 29, going first by train to Toronto and Ottawa and then to Montreal, from where the Nascopie sailed July 7. In Ottawa he received the flag of the Boy Scout Association, which flew at the top of one of the steamer's masts during the whole journey.

As the steamer sailed northward he saw the barren, rocky coast of Labrador, Cartwright, Burwell, Lake Harbor, of Baffin Land, Wakeham Bay, Wolstenholme, Cape Smith, Port Harrison and Charlton Island were posts on the northern coast where the steamer called as she proceeded to Hudson Bay and James Bay.

His company on the ship was as interesting as the journey itself. There was Ashley Cooper, governor of the company, and his party, Dominion government scientists, R.C.M.P. officers on their way to duty at northern outposts, and men who would work at Hudson's Bay Company trading posts.

Several times the steamer was locked in ice floes and fogs, on one occasion for seven days, and three days at another time.

The most northerly point reached by the ship was Craig Harbor, on Ellesmere Island, where R.C.M.P. officers are stationed. En route to the island the ship stopped at North Devon Island to establish a new H.B.C. post at Dundas Harbor. Two company men were left at the new post with several Eskimo families and their dogs, taken up from Churchill.

The return was started from Ellesmere Island about the middle of September, after several snows, which would remain until next summer had fallen and ice had begun to form.

The Nascopie arrived at Halifax on the evening of Sept. 30, and Cockburn visited several eastern cities before continuing west.

The long trip is now over, and his second year in pre-medicine at the University of Manitoba has begun. He is a member of the 44th Winnipeg troop, St. Margaret's church.

The Hero Of Trafalgar

Nelson Was Considered Weak Youth When He Started Career

The exhibition of old pictures illustrating Vice-Admiral Viscount Horatio Nelson's career, recently held at the Parker Gallery, is full of interest. When Nelson joined the ship of his uncle, Maurice Suckling, the latter asked his father what the lad had done, that one so weak should be sent to rough it at sea.

That was in 1770. Twenty-seven years later, at Santa Cruz, the "weak youth" swarmed up a rope on board his ship, the Theseus, calling for the surgeon to amputate his shattered right arm. Sixty hours later, after an operation minus any kind of an anaesthetic, Nelson was writing a despatch to Lord St. Vincent with his left hand. He assured the Duke of Clarence "not a scrap of that ardor with which I served our King has been shot away."

Off Cape Trafalgar, on the historic eve of our most glorious naval action, he said, "I'll now amuse the fleet with a signal," and gave his captains the immortal "England expects" epic. A few hours later came the tragic. "They have got me at last, Hardy!"—London Letter.

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YOUR HANDWRITING REVEALS YOUR CHARACTER

By LAWRENCE HIBBERT
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(Editor's Note: It is very evident that interest in these articles, and in the subject of Character Reading from Handwriting, is increasing. Many readers are sending in their own handwriting for a personal reading by this well-known handwriting expert. Have you sent yours? See the author's invitation following this article.)

In the course of a huge mail that comes in to me every week, I am impressed by the number of young people, of both sexes, who are very vitally interested in finding what their friend's character is really like.

Some of them are franker than others, and inform me that they will rely entirely on my verdict. I am gratified by this confidence and always do my best to guide my correspondents aright.

I often hesitate to inform any young person that their sweetheart is totally unsuited to them, because, so often, people can rectify weaknesses or negative traits by a little self-tuition. The great point is that a lot of people are unsuited to others, unless they get down to brass tacks and improve themselves.

A young lady wrote to me recently, and sent me a specimen of her boy friend's writing. Incidentally, she told me that he was very fond of gambling, and did not seem able to give it up. A cursory inspection of his writing revealed that his worst fault was his inability to say "no". He was vacillating and prone to procrastinate. He was indecisive, unable to make up his own mind.

It does not take much thought to realize that this young man is guided too much by others, and, in his particular case, he finds it impossible to refuse whenever his chums suggest some form of gambling. He hasn't the backbone to say "no".

There is a chance for him, and for my correspondent's hope of making a successful union with him—but it depends on himself. He must exert more backbone. He must learn to decide things; to make up his mind.

If he doesn't, or will not, then my young lady friend may as well write him off as a bad loss, and turn her attentions in another direction.

One of the worst failings to which anyone can be subject, is a chronic indecision and procrastination. Anyone who has this disease—for it is a mental ailment—is an unlucky person to become fond of. Unless the failing is overcome, trouble and unhappiness are almost certain to follow.

There are cases where I have no hesitation in warning people to have nothing to do with certain others. Their deceit and dishonesty stand out in their writing like flag-poles. I will deal with this subject further in a later article.

"Mabel," Saskatoon—The writing of your friend shows that she is thrifty and cautious. You will be quite safe to entrust her with the matter you speak of, because you can be sure that she will look after it. It is her nature to do so. And, being honest and straightforward as she is, you can depend upon her.

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Aid Found Successful

Removal Of Thyroid Gland Helps Sufferers From Heart Disease

Surgical relief of "heart disease," suggested by United States medical authorities, has been found successful in England.

Drs. O. Brenner and Hugh Donovan of Queens hospital, Birmingham, treated six sufferers of congestive heart-failure and angina pectoris by surgical removal of the thyroid gland in the neck, known as the "pace-maker of the body," because it is this gland which governs the speed at which the body processes work.

It has been known for years that in certain diseases of the thyroid gland the heart races, the lungs work more rapidly and other body functions are accelerated. American medical authorities suggested that if the "pace-making thyroid" were removed, the body processes would adjust themselves to the pace of the weakest part of the body-machine, the flagging heart. This theory was followed by Drs. Brenner and Donovan and the results have so far been successful, they stated.

The six patients treated by the new surgical method now are capable of more exertion than has been possible previously, the doctors report.

Make Valuable Discovery

Carthage, Buried For Centuries, Has Been Brought To Light

A whole section of the ancient city of Carthage, buried for centuries beneath the sands of Northern Africa, has been brought to light, archaeological workers announced.

The excavations have revealed villas, paved streets, houses and buildings almost intact from the second and third centuries, and the discoveries are regarded by scholars as of great archaeological importance.

A part of the ancient city, hitherto unknown, which overlooked the Gulf of Tunis, has been uncovered, giving a vivid picture of daily life as it was long centuries ago.

The excavations are being continued, and a careful guard is being kept to prevent looting and vandalism.

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Oldest Farm Workers

The combined ages of the three men who won the prizes offered by Williton and Dunster Agricultural Association, England, for the oldest farm workers still in active employment totalled 251 years. First prize went to John Chilcott (85 years), second to John Reed (84), and third to Thomas Gould (83).

If you want to make money, just propagate a dwarf lawn grass which will grow only two inches high and still stay green.

Speaker Says Canada Lags Far Behind Other Dominions In Caring For The Blind

The blind man's heritage—sightless eyes,—and it is through those eyes that he sees the world, the earth. Vague understandings of the stars, the moon, flowers and trees have made them a miracle to him. He goes through life using only four senses, his imagination must replace for him the sense of sight. Yet, with this affliction the blind occupy a position in Canada that is several inches below that of the criminal.

This was the startling contrast made by Philip E. Layton in his address at the 26th annual meeting of the Montreal Association for the Blind, of which he is the president and founder.

In comparing the work that other countries in the British Empire and the world are doing for their blind, Mr. Layton said, "Canada boasts that it is the leading Dominion in the empire. I am sorry to say that it is far from the leading Dominion in the care of its blind. Canada takes far better care of its criminals than it does of the poor blind. The criminal is given board and lodging and clothing but the blind are left to starve or beg. The way of the blind is particularly hard. Prejudice and ignorance stare them in the face at every turn. When they have received degrees at universities or diplomas for teaching music or tuning pianos, they find it very difficult to get a position. It is bad enough to be deprived of seeing the wonderful world, but the economic condition of the blind makes it much worse," he said.

"The depression has cut great inroads into the earning power of the blind," the speaker continued, "also their friends have not been able to help them as they have done in the past. A few years ago hundreds of blind people got their living teaching music, playing at parties, or tuning pianos, but the radio has taken these occupations largely away.

Mr. Layton spoke of the work that is being carried on towards having the old age pension apply to the blind by Dr. Cotnam, M.P., for Renfrew, Ont., who will present that bill at the next session of parliament. He suggested that a letter from the blind association would greatly encourage the member of parliament.

Continuing Mr. Layton said: "In listening to the reports tonight of the work of this organization I thought how fortunate blind people were who had employment in workshops. There are only 250 blind people employed in six or seven workshops for the blind in Canada. Probably another 200 are earning their living selling newspapers or operating canteen stands, etc. There are probably from eight to ten thousand blind people in Canada and not more than five per cent. of this number are able to earn their own living. There are at least 1,000 blind in Montreal.

"When a man loses his eyesight he loses his job and often his home. His children are sometimes separated from him. He makes every effort to surmount his affliction but at last like a bird with a broken wing he gives up. His spirit is broken, he loses his health physically and mentally and then insanity sets in, followed by suicide.

"People often ask: 'Where are so many blind people?' We don't see them on the streets. We don't see them about. There are many good reasons for this. They are kept shut in homes. They have no clothes to go out with. Their sisters and brothers and friends would be ashamed to be seen with them on the streets. Some of the blind have never known what it is to have a new suit of clothes or a new dress. Again, the blind are afraid now to go on our streets, with few exceptions. Afraid they might be knocked down by a motor car. Quite a number of blind people have been killed or injured on our roads. Three or four blind people belonging to the Montreal Association for the Blind have been killed.—Montreal Star.

The man in the moon is seen upside down in the southern hemisphere.

W. N. U. 2075

Habits Of Certain Ants

Naturalists Find They Often Wait On Each Other

Naturalists who have been studying the habits of certain ants have discovered that the insects go through most careful operations of cleaning themselves. Each ant performs this operation, not for herself, but for another. She acts for the time as lady's maid. She stands by washing the face of her companion and then goes over the whole body. The actions of the ant who is being washed show the utmost satisfaction. She lies down with all her limbs stretched loosely out, she rolls over on her side, even on her back, a perfect picture of ease. The pleasure the little insect shows in being thus combed and washed is really an object lesson to many higher animals.



By Ellen Worth



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Supplementary Fuels In Farming

Feasibility Of Using Blended Fuels In Low Temperatures

In view of the growing practice of using supplementary motor fuels in admixture with gasoline for farm and other machinery, the feasibility of using blended fuels in countries like Canada, in which low temperatures are encountered in winter, has been studied at the National Research Laboratories in Ottawa. This particular form of research is of special practical importance to the Dominion, and consequently the laboratories have determined the relation between water content and solution temperature of the various gasoline mixtures now in use or being tried out.

Owing to their availability, benzol and ethanol (ethyl alcohol) are in extensive use in the preparation of mixed motor fuels in which gasoline is the main constituent. Recent developments make it appear that isopropanol (isopropyl alcohol) can be manufactured cheaply from waste gases which are by-products of the petroleum industry, and it is not unlikely, says the Canadian Journal of Research that in the near future this substance may become commercially available as a fuel.

A problem arises in connection with the use of mixed fuels containing ethanol, namely, the possibility of separation into two liquid phases upon the addition of relatively small amounts of water. At a given temperature any alcohol-gasoline mixture has what is known as a critical water content, and, conversely, any such mixture containing dissolved water has a critical solution or "cloud" temperature below which separation into two phases will occur.

Not Good For Hogs

Mature Soy Bean Seeds Lower Quality Of Pork

The mature soy bean seed, either whole or ground, provides an excellent protein feed to use with oats and barley for all kinds of livestock, except market hogs. Soy beans contain a large amount of oil and when fed to hogs in even small quantities the quality of pork is lowered. It is, therefore, recommended that farmers refrain from using the soy bean for feedings to growing hogs. Brood sows can be wintered nicely and will produce healthy litters when fed on a ration containing a proportion of soy beans. As a source of protein for dairy cattle and to keep the cows in excellent condition the soy bean is excellent when fed in conjunction with other grains.

Approximately 30 varieties of soybeans are grown on farms in this country. It is estimated that there are more than 2,000 varieties of this bean, a native of China, in the world.

Control Of Arms Traffic Only Means Of Averting Malpractices, Says Hon. Stanley Baldwin

A New Map

Department Of National Defence Issues Map Showing Airports

A new map of Canada showing the airports, intermediate aerodromes, seaplane ports and anchorages, has just been issued by the Department of National Defence, in co-operation with the Department of the Interior, as an aid to aviators and all interested in flying activities. The various types of landing stations are designated by separate symbols; thus, there are shown forty-eight public airports, twelve private airports, thirty-one intermediate aerodromes, eighteen public seaplane ports, nine private seaplane ports, twenty seaplane anchorages, three Royal Canadian Air Force landplane stations and five seaplane stations. These are mostly confined to southern Canada, but there are others such as Fort Smith, Cameron Bay and Aklavik in the Northwest Territories. Aklavik, which is the farthest north airport, is situated immediately to the west of the delta of the Mackenzie River. Most of the prominent mining fields are equipped for aeroplane transportation and stations are shown at Rouyn, Red Lake, Flin Flon, and Cameron Bay on Great Bear Lake.

There is a chain of airports and intermediate aerodromes from Winnipeg to Lethbridge and thence northerly to Edmonton. A similar chain is being constructed at the present time between Quebec and Winnipeg, but as they are not yet completed their locations are not shown on the present map.

The map is distributed to aviation officials and flying clubs by the Department of National Defence, but the general distribution to the public is made through the Topographical and Air Survey Bureau, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, at ten cents per copy.

Do Away With Slums

Prince Of Wales Makes Plea For Mass Production Of Houses

A strong plea for mass production of houses and complete sweeping away of the slums was uttered by the Prince of Wales, speaking at the centenary dinner of the Royal Institute of British Architects.

Two thousand assembled architects and their wives heard the prince, who has made this problem one of his special cares in late years, making many visits to slum districts throughout the country. The government is now engaged on extension of its rehousing program.

CROWN-PRINCE VISITS LONDON



When the United Services Ball was held in London recently in aid of the ex-Services Welfare Society, many foreign celebrities attended. Here we see the Crown Prince of Siam dancing with Lady Dalrymple-Champneys. The Ball was held in Grosvenor House, and, incidentally, when the toast was drunk to the King's health, it was the first time this had been done in this famous old mansion since the eve of the Battle of Waterloo.

The need for every great nation joining the League of Nations and strengthening it as an agency for international peace was emphasized in a speech at Glasgow by Stanley Baldwin, lord president of the council in the British cabinet.

He also told an audience of 4,000 persons that state control of the arms traffic was the only means of averting malpractices.

A collective peace system such as advocated by the Labor party—employment of joint forces under direction of the league—"is impracticable in view of the fact the United States is not, to our unbounded regret, a member of the league," he said, "and also in view of the defections of Germany and Japan from the league in the last two years.

"So long as I have responsibility in any government for deciding whether to join a collective peace system and as an individual never will I sanction the British navy being used for the armed blockade of any country in the world, until I know what the United States will do.

"We will never get a League of Nations with the power and influence it ought to have," he continued, "until the United States is a member. And the league cannot function as it should with Germany and Japan outside. Whether the United States will ever abandon her traditional policy I cannot tell.

"What we must do is go on working largely by faith to get back those who belonged and trust the day will come when the world circle will be complete by the admission of the United States.

Dealing with private manufacture of armaments Mr. Baldwin expressed sympathy with the people who had read of the allegations in the Washington munitions enquiry, and had been horrified by some of these allegations and revelations. "The only method of dealing with these malpractices of which we have allegations and in some cases proof, lies in control," he added.

Studying New Sun Spots

Effect On Earth Not Fully Understood By Scientists

Astronomers all over the world are observing with intense interest the appearance of new sun-spots, regarded as the forerunners of the next cycle, which for the next 11 years or so may affect weather, increase magnetic disturbances, occasionally interrupt telegraph and telephone services, and bring more ultra-violet light for sun-bathers, and possibly poorer reception for radio listeners. Popular beliefs connect sun-spots with epidemics, business cycles, severe weather fluctuations and such phenomena as the number of rabbits and visitations of locusts. No scientific evidence to support such ideas, however, has been found. Scientists do not yet fully understand the specific effects sun-spots have on the earth and its inhabitants. Last August, astronomers found that the number of sun-spots was lowest since 1923, and the few that they did see then were the lingering remnants of the sun-spot cycle which ended last summer.

Still Using Wooden Ploughs

Found Most Efficient In England On Clay Land

Wooden ploughs are not only still common in England but efficient for their task. On some clay lands they are preferred to iron. They are most common in East Anglia. At Maldon, Essex, there is a firm that has been making wooden ploughs for 120 years. To this day they exhibit and sell them at shows such as the "Royal," where they take their place among the most up-to-date electrical and petrol appliances.

Western Sheep Ranges

Canadian western sheep ranges produce from 150,000 to 200,000 lambs each year suitable for fattening purposes. In addition, there are at least 100,000 to 150,000 unfinished farm lambs that would benefit by being fattened.

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J. E. Gooder - Editor & Manager

During the past year the Dominion government has conducted an educational campaign in foreign countries to bring home to people outside of Canada the many attractions which this country offers to the tourist. The mountains, rivers, lakes and forests of Alberta, with their opportunities for every form of sport, offer to the stranger within our gates a variety of entertainment probably unexcelled in any other part of the North American Continent. The revenue derived from our increasing tourist traffic vies with that derived from many of our leading industries, and many communities within the province, being fully alive to the importance of this trade, have provided camping and other facilities at convenient points.

In this connection it is our duty to make these people, who come to us from year to year as paying guests, feel that they are welcome, that we want them to come back, and that we leave no stone unturned, that they may leave us with a strong desire to return or send their friends. We are a kindly people and readily extend the hand of friendship to a stranger, for such is the spirit of the West. Incidentally, however, it is the surest way to ease our burden of taxation and pay for gravelled highways.

The following quotation is taken from an article which appeared recently in "Liberty":

"Tourist expenditures, considered as an export commodity, have yielded 50 per cent. more value than wheat; outranked paper exports by more than 100 per cent; have represented a value three times as great as the combined nickel and silver production. These comparisons are based on a 5-year average, from 1929 to 1933 inclusive.

"Tourist expenditures annually yield a greater sum than is required to maintain our national education. The staggering total of \$230,000,000 has been the annual 5-year average left in the wake of our foreign guests. In 1933 tourist expenditure fell to \$110,000,000; but 1934 has thus far shown indications of more than doubling the preceding year's figure."

To Aid Dominion Scout Movement

Launching a campaign to raise funds for the extension of the Boy Scout movement in Canada, His Excellency the Governor-General will address a vast audience Friday evening at 6:55 o'clock, when he speaks on "Scouting" over the coast-to-coast network of the Canadian Radio Commission.

Speaking in his capacity of Chief Scout, the Earl of Bessborough will give a brief outline of what the scout movement means to Canadians, both young and old, and will ask for wide and generous support on the part of citizens in all sections of Canada.

Various projects will be undertaken during the campaign, which will get underway sometime early in February, to raise sufficient money to finance Canadian scouts and their activities for the next five years. During that period no other appeal will be made for funds, except small local appeals from time to time for some specific undertaking.

Alberta News Items.

Registration of Firearms

Registration with police authorities of all pistols and revolvers is now required, according to an amendment made to the criminal code of Canada. Residents of Alberta are required to make registration with the nearest mounted police detachment or with the Chief of Police in the cities of Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Drumheller, Red Deer, and Wetaskiwin.

Value of Field Crops

Value of field crops in Alberta for the past season has been estimated at \$104,594,000 by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. The wheat crop, estimated at 112,000,000 bushels, is valued at \$59,625,000, compared with \$38,745,000 for 1933.

Beet Sugar Output

Production of sugarbeets in Southern Alberta during the past season has been estimated at 173,000 tons, a considerable increase over last year. The output of sugar from the factory at Raymond is expected to exceed 50 million pounds for the first time since the factory was opened.

Total of Marriages Increased

In 1934, up until November 30, there were 5,406 marriages performed in Alberta, as against 5,093 for the same period in 1933, or an increase of 313. For the first eleven months of the year in Edmonton there were 1,196 marriages as against 1,037 last year. Calgary reports 970 as against 917 in 1933. For the rest of the province there are 3,240 for the first eleven months, with 3,139 for the same period in 1933.

Splendid Record

At the beginning of 1933, according to the report of the municipal affairs department, printed recently, the seven city municipalities of Alberta had cut their debenture debt by \$7,275,530.33; 55 towns had reduced their debt by \$149,505.06; 145 villages by \$10,845.35, and five municipal districts by \$1,351.05. Only 5 districts out of 163 have outstanding debentures.

Winter Highway Program

The winter road clearance program of the provincial department of public works for the present winter will cover practically the same mileage of main highway as last season, approximately 1,000 miles. This will be carried out and extended as rapidly and successfully as weather conditions permit.

Classified Ads.

Lost—Brown Horse Blanket, between E. Artman's place and Lee Swingle's on Dec. 19. Finder please return to E. Artman on this office.

Hemstitching Also specialising in Daisy-Knit Sweaters and all kinds of Fancywork—See Mary McCann at Mrs. Geo. Julien's, Didsbury. (20)

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Canada Makes Progress Says Beatty

C.P.R. President Reviews Past Year and Finds Evidence of Permanent Economic Improvement in Advances so far made—Predicts Canadian Wheat as Best in the World will find Steady Market.

THE course of our recovery from the economic catastrophe which swept over the world in 1929 and 1930 has been markedly different from that of any of the previous cases of business expansion in this country. This time we seem to be experiencing a process of slow rebuilding, and, as far as I can see, one of permanent re-adjustment of our economic activities to conditions which have radically and permanently changed. What we are today experiencing is a process of steady, and I hope permanent growth.



E. W. BEATTY, E.C., Chairman and President of Canadian Pacific Ry.

This to my mind would be an entirely normal result of the causes which led to the great collapse of Canadian business. The boom conditions which followed a temporary depression after the Armistice were, as far as Canada is concerned, chiefly the result of forces and conditions in other countries. Actually our productive boom resulted from tangible demand for Canadian products, and from conditions in other countries which directed a flow of capital into Canadian development. Equally the economic collapse in Canada resulted chiefly from forces operating in other countries.

Nothing is more important in our economic life than our great exporting industries. In the case of wheat I have never accepted the alarmist views which have been freely expressed. The world surplus stocks, produced partly by active encouragement of production in many importing countries, and partly by a series of unusually favourable seasons in Europe, seem to be needed to meet the marked shrinkage in production in 1934. While complete recovery of world commerce in wheat must depend on some limitation of excessive economic nationalism, on greater stability of monetary exchange, and on increase in the total volume of other forms of world commerce, I see no reason to believe that Canadian wheat, the best in the world, sold at fair prices, will not find a steady market.

Other primary products, such as minerals, lumber, and bacon are being exported in increased volume and at better prices, largely owing to the Imperial trade agreements of 1932, and the newsprint industry shows clear sign of recovery.

It is to be regretted that the past few years have seen further increase in the debt of the Dominion, the Provinces and many municipalities. Much of our public debt has been incurred for purposes obviously legitimate as part of the ordinary government of the country, but much has resulted from experiments in the

direction of governmental participation in business. Regrettable as is the loss occasioned by errors on the part of private enterprise, this type of loss is corrected by a reduction in the income and capital holdings of those who finance the enterprises. An unwelcome investment by a public body means a permanent charge on the tax-payers. I recommend this thought to those who believe that further expansion of governmental activities is the best method of protecting the ordinary citizen from exploitation by capitalists. In actual fact the safest policy for great capitalists is at present to buy securities issued by public bodies and to leave the chance of loss to be carried by the mass taxpayers.

Throughout the past year the matter of the country's railway problem has received an increasing amount of public attention, and I am convinced that proposals for its solution along the lines of unified management for the two great companies have made decided progress. In all directions are observable a greater willingness on the part of the public to enter upon an unprejudiced consideration of the case, and even among those classes whose interests might at first glance seem to be threatened by any such proposals, I discover a growing desire to examine their possibilities and to find out if they really are as dangerous as those who early rushed into print to attack them would seem to believe. This is all to the good. If unified management will not stand up under the most searching criticism, obviously, it should not go forward. But the criticism should be fair and honest and it should be based upon a fairly sound understanding of railway economics and not upon personal interest or prejudice. I say nothing less than the truth when I affirm that most of the criticism that has come out so far will not stand up before any one or even two or three of the above tests. I shall not further deal with the matter here, except to say that I can see no other way than unified railway management in which the country can put a stop to the continual cumulative wastage of vast sums of money and can safeguard the future of both railways while adequately preserving the property rights of the Canadian people in the Canadian National, and those of the shareholders of the Canadian Pacific. In a word this is my proposal for unified management—it is a partnership between public ownership and private ownership with the added advantage of private operation free from political control.

Both Canadian Railway systems as well as the railways of almost every modern nation, have suffered to some extent from the growth of highway transportation. The general use of privately owned motor cars, and an increasing amount of pleasure travel in prosperous times, have led to the construction of a great network of modern highways, which in turn have been used as the right of way for a great number of freight vehicles. To a great extent the operations of these vehicles and their policy in setting their charges, have not been subjected to the same close supervision which public authorities have long given to railway operations and tariffs. In this case also public opinion is pressing for better handling of the situation. The railways do not question the advisability of building good roads, or of permitting them to be used for commercial transportation, but the perfection of the present attempts to proper control of this operation will, in my opinion, return to the railways at least some of the business taken from them by highway transport and place both highway and rail transportation on a sounder basis.

It is also interesting to note a growing public sentiment in the direction of demanding some contribution to the upkeep of our great and costly inland waterway system from those who use them—especially in the case of ships of foreign registry.

With every correction of these special cases of unfair competition, the Company must depend chiefly for a restoration of its normal business on a recovery of Canadian prosperity in general. The outlook in that respect is comforting. The very careful studies prepared by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics indicate a condition far from as alarming as some authorities would make it.

In this great and scantily populated country we should not, however, be talking only of recovery. Canada should look forward to expansion in every direction. To my mind the policies needed to insure this are very simple. I should list them as: scrupulous care to prevent the debts of public bodies and resulting destructive taxation from any further increase; concentration of our efforts both in public policy and private business on the increase both in volume and prosperity of our primary industries—especially agriculture; public and private business policies looking to increase the population of Canada—especially in the agricultural areas; and, as I have repeatedly said, an immediate correction of the burdensome and costly duplication of transportation facilities.

It appears to me that we can look back on 1934 with some contentment, as a year during which we found that the world was not ending, and that by industry and thrift nations and individuals could still prosper. What interests me more is that I believe we can look forward to 1935 and successive years with confidence that under Providence we shall see in them a period when Canada will revive that faith in her future which too many of us seemed to lose, and that we shall again come to realize that all that is wanted to set this country on a forward path of progress are such simple virtues as energy, honesty, and ordinary common sense.

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Rev. A. J. Mitchell, Minister

11.45 a.m.: Sunday School
7.30 p.m.: Service.
The minister will preach Sunday at Westcott at 2.00 p.m.

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Evangelism & Sermon, 3 p.m.

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Westcott—English Every Sunday 11 a.m. except the fourth Sunday.
German—First third and fourth Sundays at 10 a.m.
Didsbury—German Every Sunday at 2.30 p.m. except the fourth
English Every Sunday at 8 p.m.

Burnside Notes.

Mr. Jim Tate left on Wednesday last for his old home at Aylmer, Ont. in response to a message that his father had passed away at his old home there.

Miss Sadie McLean returned home on Saturday after spending a month with her friend Mrs. Hank Fischer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Campbell celebrated the 30th anniversary of their wedding on Friday Jan 4th.

Miss Bertie Metz spent the weekend in Didsbury with her cousin Miss Celina Dedels.

Mr. Joe. Rist left Tuesday for Shelly, Mont., where his brother's wife is very ill.

Burnside School District will hold its annual meeting on Saturday Jan 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pross and Howard spent Saturday in Calgary.

Married—On Dec 28th, Miss Selma Snyder to Mr. Bill Thompson. Congratulations.

Mountain View Notes

The monthly meeting of the W.I. will be held as usual on the third Thursday, January 17, at the home of Mrs. Ellis Barnes, when members are asked to bring donations for the new layette.

The Xmas entertainment at Mona was held December 21 last. Instead of the usual program a set of lantern slides were shown illustrating "The Christmas Carol" with the story ably told by the teacher, Miss Brown, after which candy and nuts were given to each child.

Westcott Notes.

Miss Maggie Finlay will give a lantern lecture at Westcott School on Friday evening, Jan. 18 at 8 o'clock on her missionary work in Africa.

The December meeting of the Westcott W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. A. M. Robertson on Dec. 27 last. The meeting opened with the singing of "The First Noel." Roll-call was answered by giving an interesting fact about some country. Correspondence consisted of letters of thanks from the various organizations which received donations from this branch. An interesting letter from the provincial president was also read. Mrs. H. Levagood was elected convener for home economics in place of Mrs. Shouldice who is leaving shortly. Mrs. H. Steckley was appointed press reporter. The program for the coming year was then arranged. A xylophone solo by Joyce Levagood and a piano solo by Mildred Levagood were given. Following this, short geographical articles were given by Mildred Levagood. Lunch was served by the hostess and the meeting adjourned.

WEEKLY SERMONETTE

"Men write clever sneers at religion, but they never have one carved on their tombstones"

RUGBY NOTES

The January meeting of Rugby W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Johnston, with an attendance of 16. With a few cheery words of greeting from the president, a fresh year's work was once more started. After a short business session the afternoon was spent in planning the year's program. It was decided to hold a whist drive and dance in the Rugby School on February 15th. Next month's meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Vipond.

"Standard Loaf" Must Now Be Sold In Alberta

Following New Year's Day every loaf of bread sold in Alberta cities and towns must weigh 20 oz., according to word issued to bakers throughout the province by Government authorities.

The new provincial regulations affecting the trade in bread provide that bakery premises must be passed upon either by the local health board where such is established or in unorganized territory by the provincial board of health before a license can be granted. Provision is made for the issue of a temporary permit in case of need.

The regulations govern sanitary conditions in bakeries, handling of supplies, care of bread in stores and other details. They provide that "no person shall sell bread subject to the condition that the purchaser may return same, and no person who has sold any bread shall take back or exchange any bread previously sold to him by a distributor."

Penalty for the violation of the regulation is a fine of not less than \$10 and not more than \$100 for a first offence, and not less than \$25 and not more than \$200 for any subsequent offence. Alternative jail terms are provided.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our kind friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. Also for the many beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. H. Bliss and Daughter

Coal Production

The total coal production of Alberta mines to the end of November last was 4,180,828 tons, compared with 4,087,518 tons for the same period in 1933.

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The fee on all cars exceeding 115 inch Wheelbase will be the same as in former years.

A reduction of \$1.00 will also be made in the fees for models made eight years previous to January 1 of the current license year, on those cars with Wheelbase of 120 inches or less.

All Fees Due and Payable January 1, 1935

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A multitude of 200,000 persons watched the Duke of Gloucester unveil the Anzac memorial in honor of New South Wales soldiers who fell in the war.

Cash income of United States farmers during October from all sources was reported by the bureau of agricultural economics to have totalled \$736,000,000, compared with \$620,000,000 in October, 1932.

D. Leo Doland, director of the Canadian travel bureau, is on a tour of western cities to get viewpoints on advertising Canadian attractions for tourists. Economic difficulties were not interfering with tourist traffic, he said.

Prime Minister J. Ramsay MacDonald announced in the House of Commons that Great Britain will not propose to the United States negotiations for a pact of mutual assistance in the Pacific along the lines of the Locarno treaty.

The judicial committee of the privy council reserved judgment on the appeal of the province of Manitoba from a decision of the Canadian supreme court, in a dispute with the Dominion government over timber dues.

The Earl of Bessborough, Canada's governor-general, already known as an accomplished actor, revealed himself as a horticulturist of note, winning the gold medal for the best variety of chrysanthemum shown at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto.

A wedding gift from the navies of the empire to the Duke of Kent and Princess Marina was exhibited at the admiralty in London. It consists of a rare antique silver tea-service fitted into an oak chest on which is inscribed the names of the Royal navy and of the Dominion and Indian navies.

Russian Crown Exhibited

Was Sold By Soviet Government To Private Collector

A crown worn at their marriage by the last three Russian czarinas was exhibited at the fine arts exposition at Rockefeller centre, in New York. The crown, which is a part of Cartiers private collection, is the most important piece of Russian crown jewelry known to have been disposed of by the Soviet government since its accession to power.

It is made of scarlet velvet ribbons, stiffened and shaped into a circlet with three cross pieces. On the ribbons are two rows of large diamonds and three of smaller stones, and a cross which tops the crown contains five huge brilliants. There are 320 of the big stones in all and 1,200 of the small, and the total weight of diamonds on the crown is about 260 carats.

The crown was made about 1840, during the reign of Nicholas I, for the marriage of the future Czarina Marie Alexandrovna to the Czar Nicholas I. The other czarinas who wore it were Marie Feodorovna, wife of Alexander III, and the ill-fated Alexandra Feodorovna, wife of Nicholas II, the last autocrat of Russia.

Chances are Catherine the Great wore the diamonds in their present settings, and that they were later simply sewn on to the crown shape. The diamonds are extraordinarily clear and brilliant stones, of South American or Indian origin.

Great Display Of Apples

Detroit Fruit Company Paid Over Thousand Dollars For Shipment

"The world's largest box of apples," a specially built mammoth replica of a standard apple box, was displayed by the Wabash railway on its Canal street team track in Chicago.

The box mounted on a 40 foot flat car, contained 756 bushels of grade 100 "extra fancy" winesaps from Yakima, Wash., weighing a total of 34,252 pounds, and consigned to the Detroit Fruit Auction Company of Detroit. The company is said to have paid \$1,001 for the shipment. On either end was a huge replica of a shipping tag carrying names of contributing apple growers.

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Bird That Rivals Parrot

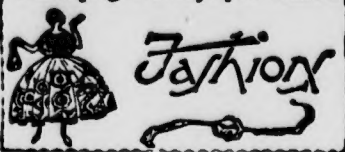
Budgerigar Can Speak Long Sentences And Are Not Rude

The parrot's reputation for being the best talking bird is in danger. He has a very serious rival in that little pastel-tinted fellow, the budgerigar. In the recent bird show at the Crystal Palace, London, there were recently budgerigars that could talk the average parrot's head off. They recite poems and nursery rhymes. They have imagination as well as snappiness and they are not rude, like parrots. It is even claimed for some of them that they speak long sentences in the best English. "Billy Martin," shown by Mrs. S. A. Martin, of Catford, has a repertoire, which includes:

Mary had a little lamb,
Its fleece was white as snow.

Then there is Joey who belongs to H. Lucas of Wandsworth. He knows several poems, and he will tell one it is "O.K. Baby," and lots of other things. One of the smallest birds in the show drew the biggest crowd. It was the £1,000 ruby and topaz humming bird that changed color as you looked at it.

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By Ellen Worth



KITCHEN CHORES BECOME A PLEASURE WEARING THIS ADORABLE APRON

You'll plan your kitchen chores with much enthusiasm with this pretty flowered percale apron in mind.

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Fort William fireman R. Cornthwaite of the Canadian Pacific Railway, whose heroic action in jumping from a moving yard engine at Port Arthur to save a woman from attempted suicide has received high commendation from Port Arthur's police magistrate and the district general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific.

New Idea On Liner

Kennel Attendant Takes Care Of Dogs During Trip

Ocean liners are getting very "doggy".

The ship's butcher, traditional keeper of passengers' dogs, was relieved of his duties when the Washington sailed for Hamburg. A new rating, that of kennel attendant, was given to a member of the crew.

The Washington's passengers no longer can question the identity of their steaks or profess to mourn the sad fate of Spot as they look on their chops.

The number of passengers traveling to Europe accompanied by their dogs has increased to such an extent that new kennel accommodations had to be built and a special attendant became necessary.

Little Journeys In Science

ATMOSPHERE

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)

Around the earth are eleven and a half trillions of pounds of air, or atmosphere, exerting a pressure of about fourteen tons on each person. Because this pressure is distributed evenly on all parts of the body, it does not cause inconvenience. At sea level, the air exerts a pressure of a little more than fourteen pounds per square inch, but the pressure is less on higher levels because the air above presses on that below, making the pressure greatest near the earth.

Torricelli, an Italian scientist, and pupil of Galileo, was the first to discover that air had weight. This is done by filling a bottle with air, weighing it, then removing the air by means of an air pump, and weighing again. The bottle will be found to be lighter when weighed the second time.

Air is necessary to both plant and animal life, and it is also vital to the process of burning. By volume air is composed of one-fifth oxygen and four-fifths nitrogen. In addition it contains 5 or 6 parts in 10,000 of carbon dioxide. There is also a variable amount of water vapor, small quantities of sulphuric acid gas and hydrogen, together with many minute particles of organic and inorganic matter. After an electrical storm, nitric acid is also found.

Humans and animals breathe in the oxygen from the air, and give off carbon dioxide. Plants in sunlight breathe in carbon dioxide, and give off oxygen. Man depends on oxygen for life, and so the importance of ventilation cannot be over-estimated. Buildings which are not well supplied with fresh air become a menace to those who live in them, since the oxygen in the air is used up, giving place to carbon dioxide, which is injurious when breathed in large quantities.

In addition to life and combustion, other phenomena which depend on the air are: The propagation of sound, the distintegration of plant and animal matter, twilight, polar and terrestrial radiation and weather.

Scientists find that intense sound kills bacteria in milk, water, fruit juices and other liquids in a fraction of a second.

Has Plan To Bring Rain

Los Angeles Chemist And Inventor Tells How It Is Done

The great drouth that left its searing mark down the centre of the United States last summer could have been averted, or at least greatly tempered, by a handful of dust, believes R. R. Snowden, a Los Angeles chemist.

There was plenty of dust over the arid zone. But for rain producing purposes it was the wrong kind, if his thesis is correct.

Snowden, 50-year-old scientist and inventor, will present to the United States Inventors' congress, opening at Los Angeles Jan. 7, a method for super-inducing rain. It sounds easy:

From an aeroplane, disseminate ammonium nitrate, powder-fine in texture, through moisture-bearing atmospheres. A minute particle of anything, he claims, will collect water, acting as the "core" around which raindrops can form. That's mechanical. The ammonium nitrate particles, in addition to this automatic principle, have a chemical attraction for water, as well as a cooling effect on it.

Thus, he believes, each tiny particle of ammonium nitrate would become a nucleus for a raindrop, collecting and attracting the water in moisture-laden air. The drops having reached a certain weight and density, would fall.

May Not Throw Flowers

Unwritten Rule Governs This Custom At Royal Weddings

Princess Marina's wedding brought profit to many people, comments the Glasgow Herald. The system which worked so well for onlookers during the wedding of the Duke and Duchess of York was repeated, and the route followed by the three processions in connection with the ceremony were carefully studied. Nearly everyone who possesses a window that might give a royal view made full use of it and the commercially minded scaled appropriate charges to visitors. It is not generally known that there are unwritten rules against throwing flowers—a custom which persisted until the middle of last century. It was found that crushed petals made the roads unsafe for the horses in the procession and the practice was discouraged for this reason.

Marketing Poultry Early

Eastern Farmers Prove It Can Be Successfully Done

The early marketing of well-finished birds in commercial quantities was well demonstrated by farmers in Quebec and Eastern Ontario where the first poultry pools of the year have been held. The question as to whether or not early poultry marketing could be done successfully in a large way by farmers, from a quality standpoint, says the Egg and Poultry Market Review, has been definitely answered, the producers in these districts having demonstrated by planning ahead that the chickens from practically any district in Ontario and Quebec can be produced and made ready for sale when the market demands it. The milked A chickens were produced by crate feeding from four to five weeks.

Got What He Wanted

"Don't give me such wordy reports when you make them out in future," said the railway inspector to the line overseer. "Just put down the condition of the track as you find it. Leave out everything that isn't to the point. I want a business letter, not a novel."

The overseer replied that he grasped the idea. A few days later the line was badly flooded, and the overseer wrote his report to the inspector in the new style. It read:

"Where the railway was the river is."

New One For Him

Language difficulties in Africa give rise to amusing situations. On one occasion, a well-known judge, though bilingual himself, employed a man to interpret in Afrikaans. During the hearing a difficult point arose.

Judge: "Tell the witness the court is on the horns of a dilemma."

Interpreter to witness: "The judge says he is now on the horns of an animal of which I myself have never before heard."

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

"TABLE-TOP" PICTURES



Two table-top pictures. At left, is a tiny cork-and-paper ship given a "Flying Dutchman" aspect by placing it on a pane of glass and shooting from underneath. Above, a circus scene made with familiar dolls and toys.

One of the most interesting of camera stunts is the making of "table-top" pictures. As the term indicates, you assemble your picture material on some convenient table or bench, and shoot it from any desired angle.

"Table-top" pictures are, usually, very much like model stage settings. You may use dolls, toys, statuettes, model airplanes, miniature trains, boats—anything at all that appeals to you. The point of the whole thing is to arrange your subjects in an interesting, realistic, or fantastic fashion, and to light this arrangement so that it makes a good picture.

Usually, these pictures are taken at close range. If your camera cannot be focused for close-ups, use a portrait attachment—a simple, inexpensive, and highly useful little gadget.

There's no limit to the effects you can achieve. And there's nothing much more fascinating than working them out. Here are some pointers that may save you time and trouble:

Remember that the only point of view that matters is the point of view of your camera's lens. Your set-up may appear charming from above or from the side. But don't let it mislead you. The camera must be pleased.

Working at close range, the depth of focus of your lens is not likely to be great. So keep the elements within as short a distance, front to back, as possible. And the most important feature should be at the point of exact focus.

If you want to give an effect of deep distance, as in a miniature landscape setup, place various figures (trees, houses, fences, etc.) in receding planes. The focus will become less exact as the distance from the camera increases. A piece of dark cardboard, cut with an irregular edge, laid across the back of the set, will become a range of distant hills. And a big piece of light cardboard, set up well back of the rest of the set-up, gives you a good "sky".

Remember that the camera's outlook is wedge-shaped—narrow close to the lens and widening out as it goes into the distance.

The greatest fun in this work is playing with light. Sometimes a single strong flood of light will give you what you want. Again, you may want one figure to stand out brilliantly, with everything else subdued. To do this, you will have to block off most of the light with short cardboards, books, or whatever you need.

You'll get your best effects by working with the lens at its smallest opening. Allow plenty of time—anywhere from ten seconds to a minute or two, depending on the amount of light.

Too, don't forget that most films register blue as white, and red as black or dark gray. A white figure against a blue background will tend to be lost; similarly, a red figure will not stand out against a dark background.

It's fascinating business, all in all, and will repay you well for your patience and ingenuity.

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HER ARMS AND LEGS IMMOVABLE

Ten Years With Rheumatism

To this woman it must have been like commencing to live a new life, when she began to use her arms and legs again, after they had been helpless for ten years.

"I suffered with rheumatism," she writes, "and had been bedridden since 1920. I could not move arms or legs, and had to be fed like a child. Everybody thought I should be an invalid all my life. I forced myself to fight against it, and tried a number of different things. It was Kruschen that eventually saved me, and to-day I consider it is saving my life. My condition has greatly improved, and my limbs are gradually becoming more supple. Already I can eat without assistance, and dress myself—which I had not done for ten years."

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THE TENDERFOOT

By
GEORGE B. RODNEY

Author of "The Coronado Trail",
"The Canyon Trail", Etc.

SYNOPSIS

"You've fallen heir to a half-share in plenty of trouble," the lawyer told Gerald Keene. "The Broken Spur has been systematically looting the ranch, and old Joe Carr, your partner, is drinking himself into ruin."

But Keene decided to go see what was happening for himself—not as Gerald Keene, half owner of the Hour-Glass Ranch, but as Duro Stone, tenderfoot in a Montgomery Ward wildwest outfit.

Dad Kane, desert rat and luckless prospector till now is returning to tell Dustin and Spike Goddard, owners of the Broken Spur ranch, who had grubstaked him, of his discovery of a rich gold mine, and shows samples of the ore. He sees Broken Spur men rustling Hour-glass cattle and protests against it.

Spike Goddard and Sam Dustin, fearing the old prospector may tell others the things he has seen as to the branding of Carr's cattle, plot to get him to show them the location of the mine and then to kill him.

Gerald Keene, dressed in ridiculous cowboy costume, arrived at the Hour-glass ranch and is hired as a cowboy by Joe Carr. The impersonation of a tenderfoot is successful, and he is accepted as such by the other occupants of the bunkhouse.

Proof of Dustin's cattle stealing activities was accidentally discovered by Stone, who accompanied by Edith Carr was riding fence a long way from the Hour-glass ranch house.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER V.—Continued

At the sound of hoof-beats on the trail, man and girl looked up.

"Hullo," he said. "Here comes some one."

She gave a quick glance at the oncoming horse, a towering black, and turned a pretty shoulder.

"It's no one I want to see," she said coolly. "It's the man I was thinking about in connection with that stolen cow. It's Mr. Dustin of the Broken Spur."

The black shouldered through the tangle by the pool and rushed the water, and the rider caught sight of the two above him. The next moment he jerked his horse back on his haunches, knelt him out of the pool and forced him through the brush to Edith's side.

"I'm glad to see you, Edith," he grinned at her. "You're out early, aren't you?" His quiz-

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zical glance took in Stone, sitting awkwardly in his saddle, looking straight ahead of him into space. "I gun-muzzle dropped into line with his hip. Even a 'store gun' can hit at seven feet.

"If you try that," said Stone grimly "I'll sure plug you dead center. See your father's hauled posts and wire down here to fence Soda Springs. Sorry, but I can't allow that till the courts have decided."

"Till they have decided, the Springs are ours," she said hotly. "I fear I've seen too much." She nodded at the dun cow and the calf. "It just happens that I can swear to that cow in any court of law."

"Yes? Well? Courts are pretty expensive amusements for the Hour-glass. It'll only need a little sense to straighten this mess out. It needs a judge and twelve jurors to take the Soda Springs away from your father. A justice of the peace or a priest can give them back. . . . In five minutes, if you say the word."

For fully a minute she did not understand what he meant. Then her face went white under its tan and her head flung high. Her red lips had paled and her eyes seemed to emit little sparks as she turned to Stone.

"Did you hear that, Mr. Stone?" she called. There was a fighting edge to her voice that thrilled Duro to his inmost fiber. "Mr. Dustin, if I have not misunderstood him, has offered to withdraw his suit to take from us what we own. . . . These Springs. He will do this if I go before a justice of the peace or a priest and become one of his women. A legal one, I understand. I feel I need some advice. You are disinterested. What shall I tell him?"

Dustin, appalled, uttered a hot oath. He had thought she would at least take the matter under consideration. He regarded Stone no more than one of the ponies but he felt ashamed. Edith's words, her manner, her whole demeanor cut him like knives.

Stone's face was impassive. No one would ever have guessed that under that exterior his blood was leaping like molten lava. God, how this girl could fight. What a wife she would some day make!

"You see," she said, "he would only offer that to get what he can never get but by purchase. . . . A wife. No sane person would tie their life to him except for gain. He has one establishment in Sepulveda. He. . . ."

"Oh, here! . . ." Stone raised a hand. "It's not my business, Miss Edith."

"By God! You and she have made it yours," shouted Dustin. The last vestige of self-control gave way and the dam burst. "Marry you? Yes, I did offer it. I'm a fool. I don't have to marry you, you red-headed firebrand. You'll be glad enough some day to have any man give you his name. Don't forget that when you put your foot of a father in the County Poorhouse. . . . You didn't like to have me tie my horse to the Hour-glass tie-rack but you can traipse over the hills with any bit of human tumble-weed that turns up dressed from a catalogue. No wonder people talk about you."

He got no further. Stone flung out of saddle and in one movement his iron grip closed on Dustin's off-foot. The Household Cavalry in London streets know that grip. Cleverly used, it can dismount any horseman who ever sat in saddle, provided only that he is unprepared.

Dustin was totally unprepared. There is but one guard for that clutch. The rider must let his gripped leg go loose. He must let it swing up and over the horse's back. He must pivot on his other foot. There is no real guard. There is a counter-attack. . . . The rider swings back into saddle and his free foot drives down like a pile-driver on the defenseless head of his attacker. But Dustin did not know this. He struggled and his own weight added to his catastrophe. Stone heaved at his ankle, raised it chin-high, and the next moment Dustin, with a queer yell that almost strangled him, was rolling in the deepest part of the pool with his horse atop, while Stone, his eyes alight, watched him from the bank.

"Sorry I had to do it," he said. "You just asked for it when you spoke to Miss Edith like that. . . . No, you don't!"

Dustin's hand stopped midway to his holster as Stone's nickel-plated Hands up."

Dustin's hands went high in air and the dripping pony struggled to the bank, where Edith sat holding her head in both hands. It had all happened so quickly that she had not comprehended.

"Come on out of your sea-foam, you . . . you bloomin' Venus," said Stone. "You ain't much to look at right now."

As Dustin struggled up the slippery bank, Stone snatched the gun from the wet holster and flung it back into the pool. Then he struck the black on the haunch with his hat and sent him at a gallop into the scrub.

"You can walk home and cool your caliente cabeza (hot head)," he said. "Come on, Miss Edith. Let's head for home."

She drove her spurs in to the rowel-seats and sent her astonished pony at a gallop through the scrub and waited for him at the entrance to the open trail.

"You've made a deadly enemy," she said breathlessly. "You must never forget that man. He is more deadly than a rattlesnake."

"Uh hur. . . ." He was obviously inattentive and it angered her.

"Mind what I'm sayin'," she snapped. "That man will kill you if he gets a chance."

"He won't have a chance," he said casually. "I was just wonderin' . . ."

Again she drove in her spurs and took the gallop and the two swept in in a glorious rush to the home corrals of the Hour-glass.

Once inside the ranch-house, Edith must have told a rather complete story, for Crewe tackled Stone when they were alone by the water-trough in the corral that evening.

"Son," said Crewe, "you're sure as green as hell, but the Hour-glass owes you a debt for what you did this afternoon to that damned cur, Dustin. Edith told her father an' me."

"Did she say anything about that cow and calf that started the mess?"

"Sure she did. How did they start it?"

"That man Dustin had just done brandin' 'em," said the amateur puncher. "When his horse come out o' the water I noticed that the cinch ring was all newly blackened by fire. He'd been usin' that to change the brands."

"Huh. That's queer. You . . . a amateur at that. . . . All right. . . . But you take it from me. . . . Look out for Sam Dustin. He'll get you if he kin."

"Sure," said Duro Stone. "That's fair. If he can. Let it go at that."

CHAPTER VI.

Frank Crewe, coming out of his room, stood looking over the wide range behind the ranch-house of the Hour-glass. He was disturbed over what Stone had told him the night before and he had thought much about this new employee. Stone was apparently honest. He was a glutton for work and there was something likable about him. But Crewe was suspicious at heart in all matters affecting the Hour-glass. He sighted Lee heading for the kitchen and hailed him.

"Send that new man Stone to me," he said.

The bunk-house took the word and presently Duro shot out of the open door like a pea from its pod. Crewe grinned amiably at him.

"Look a-here, Stone," he said. "I've forgot all that you told me last night. I ain't too durned good to remember much sometimes. I'm goin' to forget it till we can find some proof. Mind you, I don't expect you to find any proof but I just dassent start a civil war on the range unless and until I got my gun loaded. Old man Carr is too old to pick a row with this man Dustin even over Edith. You see that? We're tryin' to locate this man Keene, who owns the other half of the Hour-glass. Till we find him, we can't do much but watch and wait. I'm tellin' you this so you'll see right where we stand. If you feel like keepin' on here at the Hour-glass, we want you. We want all men who'll be loyal to their salt. That's about all, I reckon."

He strode away to his breakfast and Duro wandered back to the bunk-house.

"Loyal to his salt." . . . That was the word. He reflected that he had come here to the Hour-glass to find out what was wrong and he was finding out with a vengeance. It was

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Dustin. . . All Dustin! But so far he could show no proof. There was no ground yet for any action. He must wait.

In the meantime there was . . . Edith.

That experience over by Soda Springs had given her a confidence in the new employee that she was sure was not misplaced. She accepted him, since that day, at his face value and sometimes she flushed at the thought that she awoke to the fact that she seemed to have always known him. She liked him, too. True, he was densely ignorant of all the ranch life that she knew; true, at twenty-five he had no settled business; he had admitted that to her, but . . . Oh, well! She stopped her analysis at his point and went for her pony.

The bunk-house accepted Stone frankly . . . yet wondered at him. Technically, he was as ignorant of ranch life as any tenderfoot. Yet he could ride . . . after a fashion (they never suspected the trouble it was to appear awkward) and they grinned a little at Edith's frankly proffered friendship.

"You'll be wantin' a permanent mount," said Crewe. "Better take that big Isabella horse in the far cor-

ral. If you take time to gentle him, he'll make you a good mount."

Stone knew and had coveted that horse, a half-bred, bigger than most and made of steel and whalebone. Crewe watched his new hand catch his newer horse and laughed a little at his awkwardness.

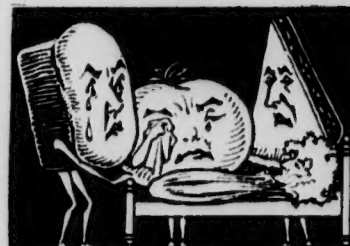
It took him days to master that horse, for months of idleness had filled him with an equine devil and he knew no master. When Duro Stone shot out of saddle to land twenty feet away on feet and hands, the bunk-house laughed. . . . All but Red Thom, who screwed an inquiring eye as the limp figure that rolled away like a shot rabbit as the horse fell.

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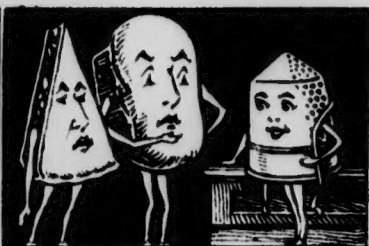
According To Sight

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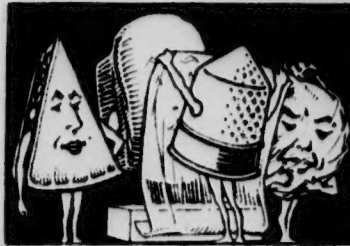
If a car stalls on a moonlight night and the man starts looking in the girl's eyes he's single—if he looks in the gas tank—he's married.



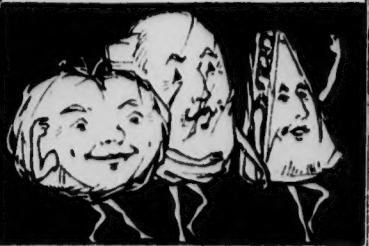
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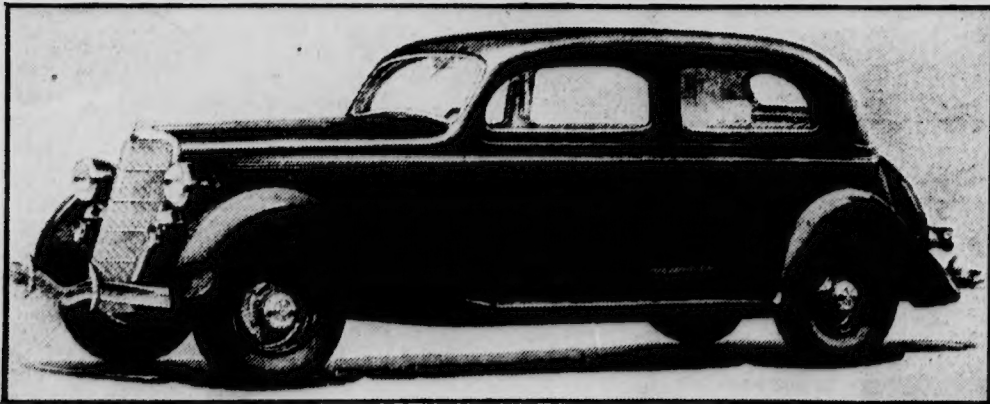
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THE largest and roomiest cars Ford has ever built, with new body lines of advanced streamline design, are illustrated above in this Ford V-8 de luxe Tudor sedan for 1935. Sedans seat six passengers in comfort. Luxurious appointments are new. The eleven body types are all finished in new baked enamel which is said to need only washing to restore its high lustre. Cars are approximately eight inches longer from bumper to bumper and seats are wider. Chassis improvements, including moving the engine forward more than eight inches and new spring suspension, add to riding comfort, especially of rear seat passengers. Directed-flow crankcase ventilation is an improvement of the 90 horsepower V-8 engine.

**Didsbury High School
Beats Carstairs, 3-0.**

Didsbury won the first game of the season in the Rosebud High School League when the fast-stepping local sextet took a hard fought game from the visiting Carstairs team, by a score of 3 to 0, on Friday night. The score is no indication of the play, because Mike Holub, Didsbury goalie, was the only obstacle to a Carstairs score on more than one occasion. Holub performed like a veteran through the entire game, and although getting great support from his teammates, he deserves most of the glory for the shut-out. Blachley and Stuart, the Carstairs defence pair, were outstanding performers. They made a tough combination to pass and were always very dangerous on attack. The game was cleanly contested, only four minor penalties being handed out, all in the final period.

Carstairs—McCoy, Blachley, Stuart, Wright, D. Beckner, Sterling, Vancamp, F. Beckner, Edmondson, D. Sterling.

Didsbury—Holub, Brusso, Cunningham, Buhr, Bellamy, Ranton, Caithness, G. Gabel, Clarke, Shantz.

First period—Brusso, Didsbury.
Second Period—Didsbury, Shantz, Didsbury, Buhr.

Penalties—Ranton, Brusso, Stuart and Beckner.

Knox United Church Notes.

The New Year's Sacrament and the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the evening service on Sunday next January 13th. Communion cards are not being distributed on this occasion and members are requested to remind each other and to be present themselves.

The C.G.I.T. held a social gathering at the manse on Tuesday when after business and religious instruction, refreshments were partaken of and games participated in.

The annual congregational meeting of Westcott United Church will be held, D.V. on Sunday next at 2 p.m. to which all interested are invited.

Play Writing Competition.

The Carnegie Trust Fund Play Writing Competition, conducted by the department of extension of the University of Alberta, closes on February 2, 1935. The prizes offered are \$125 for the best 3-act play; \$75 for best 1-act play, and \$50 for the third best play chosen from either group. The judges may withhold awards in any class if they feel that the plays submitted are of insufficient merit to justify an award.

Slot Machines Illegal.

Slot machines are taboo in Alberta. The appellate division of supreme court has held that anyone in possession of such article is liable to conviction for running a common gambling house. The judgment, being unanimous, is final.

—Bulletin, Dec 26th, 1924.

This ruling still holds good.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. E. G. Ranton made a business trip to Calgary on Wednesday.

Mr. W. Spence made a business trip to Calgary on Friday last.

Mr. T. Johnson and Dr. H. C. Liesmer were Calgary visitors on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Goehring motored to the southern city on Monday.

Murray Kendrick, who is attending the Mount Royal College, spent the weekend with his parents here.

Mr. John Goertz of the Pep Groceries was a business visitor to Calgary on Tuesday.

A number of local Liberals attended an organization meeting for the Didsbury constituency held at Acme yesterday afternoon.

Miss Jessie McCoy returned to her studies at the University of Alberta after spending the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Perrin of Roseville, Ont., who are enroute for California and Florida, called on Mr. Perrin's cousin, Mr. A. A. Perrin, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Adshead attended the funeral on Wednesday of Mrs. P. Jaffray, who died at her home in Olds on Monday. Mrs. Jaffray was one of the oldest settlers in the Olds district.

The annual meeting of St. Cyprian's Anglican Church will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Booker on Thursday evening, January 24, at 8 o'clock.

All the ladies who wish to enter the proposed mixed bonspiel are asked to hand in their names to Mrs. E. G. Ranton. The fee will be 50c each. Date of the bonspiel will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Paterson of Calgary were visiting last week with Mr. and Mrs. Al McInnes. They were also renewing acquaintance with friends in the town and district.

About 20 guests were entertained by Miss Jessie McCoy and Miss Lorna Clarke at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCoy on Friday evening. Dancing was enjoyed and a delightful supper was served by the hostesses.

Didsbury was well represented at the Olds Arena on Saturday night when Olds beat the Calgary Rangers by a score of 6-3. They were all enthusiastic on the brand of hockey played and are pulling for Olds to top the league.

A meeting of the telephone subscribers east of town was held last evening to discuss the by-laws of the proposed Mutual Telephone Co. We understand that the signing up of shareholders and organizing the company will be proceeded with.

A pleasant social evening was spent Friday last in the Odd Fellows' Hall, when the east comrades of the local Canadian Legion entertained their fellow comrades of the town and west. Whist and dancing was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd present.

The High School hockey team look smart in the new sweaters which they obtained for this season. The colors are black with white stripes and are similar to those worn by the Chicago Black Hawks. A large D on the front and the big number on the back make them look quite imposing. The sweaters were supplied by Ranton.

Things To Remember

The annual meeting of Didsbury U.F.A. Local No. 12 will be held in the Didsbury Opera House, Friday, January 11, 1935, at 1 p.m.

The St. Cyprian's W. A. will hold their next social evening at the home of Mr. J. D. Thomas on Friday, January 18.

Oldtime Dance in Aid of Didsbury Hospital—Tuesday, January 22nd. St. Hopkin's Old Time Orchestra.

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